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C O N F I D E N T I A L TOKYO 8694

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIS, JA, XP

SUBJECT: JAPANESE SALMON VIOLATION OF ABSTENTION LINE

REF: (A) MEMO: PALLOZZI TO RIETZE, 6/18/74

(B) TOKYO 8344

(C) STATE 134894

1. REF A MENTIONED MOYJIN MARU NO. 1 CARRIED MARKING ASSIGNED TO VESSELS LICENSED TO OPERATE IN AREA B (SOUTH OF 45N) ONLY. EMBASSY CHECKED LIST OF VESSELS AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE IN AREA A AND FOUND VESSEL NOT ON LIST. ACCORDINGLY, REGFISHATT CALLED THIS MATTER TO ATTENTION OF HONDA, FIRST NORTH AMERICA DIVISION, FONOFF, AND REQUESTED CONFIRMATION ON IDENTIFICATION OF VESSEL. AFTER CHECKING WITH FISHERIES AGENCY, HONDA CONFIRMED THAT VESSEL WAS ONLY LICENSED FOR OPERATION IN AREA B.

2. HONDA GAVE IMPRESSION THAT VESSEL WOULD BE PUNISHED SEVERELY BUT ONLY IF FOUND GUILTY OF VIOLATING ABSTENTION LINE. REFFISHATT EXPRESSED SURPRISE OVER HIS STATEMENT  
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SINCE VESSEL, BY FISHING IN AREA OTHER THAN IN AREA B,

WAS CLEARLY IN VIOLATION OF JAPANESE DOMESTIC LAW  
AND EXPRESSED VIEW THAT VESSEL SHOULD BE TRIED NOT ONLY  
FOR POSSIBLE VIOLATION OF TREATY BUT FOR VIOLATION OF  
JAPANESE DOMESTIC LICENSING REGULATIONS. ALTHOUGH  
RECOGNIZING THAT VIOLATION OF LICENSING REGULATIONS WAS  
INTERNAL MATTER, THERE WOULD BE SERIOUS QUESTIONS RAISED  
ON PART OF U.S. REGARDING ADEQUACY OF JAPANESE ENFORCEMENT  
MEASURES SHOULD GOJ NOT TRY VESSEL ON DOMESTIC LAW  
VIOLATION. HONDA STATED HE WOULD KEEP EMBASSY INFORMED  
ON PROGRESS OF CASE.  
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